SDMI HCBS 214

Department of Public Health and Human Services MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES BUREAU

SECTION
PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

SUBJECT

Freedom of Choice

FREEDOM OF CHOICE OF PROVIDERS

Individuals have the right to choose among any willing and qualified Personal Assistance, Self-Directed Personal Assistance, Home & Community Based Services, Home Health, Home Dialysis and Hospice providers.

HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES

Federal regulations mandate that if an individual meets level of care requirements for long-term care, the individual or his or her legal representative must be:

- 1. Informed of feasible alternatives available under the Home and Community Based Services Program; and
- 2. Given the choice of either institutional or Home and Community Based Services.

PERSONAL ASSISTANCE & SELF-DIRECTED PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

Mountain Pacific Quality Health will distribute a list of authorized agencies during the authorization visit.

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